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1. The Soviets have promised the Chinese Communists a minimum of 2,000 planes and other military supplies in the near future. The Chinese Communists are confident of victory in Korea once they attain air superiority.
2. [] the 2 Independent Artillery Regiment, 4 Field Army, comprising 1,000 men equipped with 80 tractor-drawn heavy artillery pieces and other smaller guns, moved east from the Haifeng (115-20, 22-58)-Lufeng (115-38, 22-58) area toward Swatow and Ch'aoan (116-37, 23-42). Japanese gunners and some Soviets were seen among the troops. 50X1-HUM
3. [] the Whampoa dockyard built 10 armed motor junks, repaired 12 junks and converted 2 ships to gunboats. [] 30 more ships were awaiting repairs. 50X1-HUM
4. [] elements of the 43 Army moved to the Swatow-Ch'aoan coastal area. 50X1-HUM
5. Elements of the 2 Field Army arrived in Kwangtung from Central China to strengthen South China coastal defenses. 50X1-HUM

7. The 41 and 43 Armies, formerly stationed on the Kwangsi-Indochina border, are now in Kwangtung. A decrease in the number of Communist soldiers seen on railways and highways indicates that the 21 Army Group and the 49 Army of the 13 Army Group have been sent north.
8. There are seven armies stationed on the Kwangtung coast from the Pearl River to Swatow, but units are under strength.
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